From: Webster, Susan
To: Phillips, Pam
Cc: Crossland, Ronnie
Subject: FW: NY Times request

Date: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 3:21:23 PM

Fyi. Coming to talk. tx

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From: Gray, David

Sent: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 3:14 PM

To: Deitz, Randy; Allen, Laura; Taheri, Diane; Webster, Susan

Cc: Lee, Monica; Cohen, Nancy; Bassler, Rachel; Natarajan, Nitin; Deitz, Rachel

Subject: RE: NY Times request

We are checking but don't think the 2008 inspection was RMP.

From: Deitz, Randy

Sent: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 1:51 PM **To:** Allen, Laura; Gray, David; Taheri, Diane

Cc: Lee, Monica; Cohen, Nancy; Bassler, Rachel; Natarajan, Nitin; Deitz, Rachel

Subject: RE: NY Times request

Laura, some of the information will need to be supplied by the Region, but here is what we know:

Dupont LaPorte Plant

Last RMP submitted on 9-23-2011 (next submission due 9-2016)

Last inspected by EPA on 1-24-2008. We do not have information on whether there was any enforcement action.

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From: Allen, Laura

Sent: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 1:30 PM

To: Gray, David; Taheri, Diane

Cc: Lee, Monica; Cohen, Nancy; Deitz, Randy; Bassler, Rachel; Natarajan, Nitin; Deitz, Rachel

Subject: FW: NY Times request

Hey David, can you help address the questions below from the New York Times?

I'm also including OSWER folks in case they have info to add on their end.

Thanks all.

From: Fernandez, Manny [mailto:mannyf@nytimes.com]

Sent: Tuesday, November 18, 2014 1:22 PM

To: Allen, Laura; Purchia, Liz **Subject:** NY Times request

Greetings. I had a few additional questions below regarding the La Porte chemical plant. I can be reached at this email address or on my cell phone at 202-489-9582.

Thanks, Manny

- 1. Can you tell me when DuPont submitted its risk management plan for the La Porte plant to the EPA?
- 2. Was the plan ever reviewed or audited?
- 3. Did the EPA ever conduct an on-site inspection of the DuPont La Porte plant to assess whether it was complying with the requirements of the risk management program? If so, can I get the details about the findings of those inspections?